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BRIEF OF: SWNCC 304/6, 30 Sept 47, approved
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Subject: Psychological Warfare.

SANACC approves a psychological warfare organization to be set up "in time of war or threat of war as determined by the President", but withholds any decision as to under what authority the organization should be placed at that time, and approves action at present to be limited to:

1) A psychological warfare category be established to facilitate personnel placement and training be instituted at once within the Departments of the Army, Navy and Air Forces:

- a. To broaden the general appreciation of psychological warfare capabilities as a weapon,
- b. To provide adequately trained personnel to satisfy planning and policy functions, and
- c. To provide reserves adequate to operational needs consequent to initiation of psychological warfare.

2) Rosters and files be established covering:

- a. Trained civilian personnel on duty in the State Dept.
- b. Personnel on duty in World War II in the Army, Navy, Air Force, OWI, OSS and other activities which directly participated in psychological warfare.
- c. Personnel trained incident to training programs outlined in 1 b and c above.

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